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Applicants: Fabienne Coez and Nicolas Fannechere  
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 IN A DOMESTIC COMMUNICATION NETWORK

**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Please enter the following Supplemental Preliminary Amendment in the present application:

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**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

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Please amend the specification as follows:

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On page 1, following the title, insert:

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 --This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §365 of International Application PCT/FR99/01357, filed June 08, 1999, which was published under PCT Article 21(2) on December 16, 1999, and which claims the benefit of French Application FR 98/07187 filed June 08, 1998.--

**REMARKS**

The specification has been amended in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.78. No new matter has been added. No fee is believed to have been incurred by virtue of this amendment. However, if a fee is incurred, please charge the fee against deposit account 07-0832.

Respectfully submitted,  
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